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In re Application of

Patrick J. Muraca

Application No. 09/779,187

Filed: February 8, 2001

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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b), January 15, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **granted**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely remit the issue fee of \$665.00 as required by the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due (the "Notice") mailed October 6, 2003. The Notice set forth a three (3) month statutory period for reply. No response was received within the allowable period. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on January 7, 2004.

The issue was paid on January 15, 2004.

Form PTOL-85B, filed January 15, 2004, is noted and made of record.

The application is being forwarded to the Office of Patent Publications for processing into a patent.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0010.

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